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# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Art Unit	1762
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

## 1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
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- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 06-2129
- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☒ Other any deficiency in the above fees 37CFR1.17(e); 1.136 & 1.17
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$460.00 enclosed
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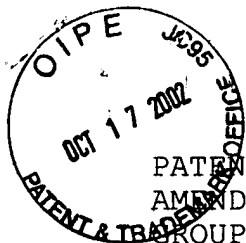
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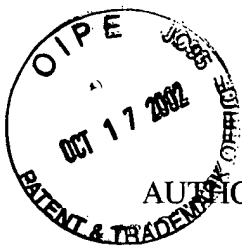
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**Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 and 1.114**

The Honorable Commissioner of  
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Sir:

Applicant files this Amendment pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114 and Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in response to the final Office Action dated April 17, 2002, and as an amendment in conjunction with an RCE filed in conjunction herewith. This amendment is timely-filed three months extended. A petition for extension of time is filed herewith, as well as the appropriate fee. Also filed herewith is a request pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) along with the appropriate fee. The applicant is a small entity. The Examiner's entry and consideration of this Amendment which raises no new issues is respectfully requested.



# AUTHORIZATION

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